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- ☐ patent application of
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- ☒ divisional patent application of
- ☐ continuation-in-part patent application of

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For: RETENTATE CHROMATOGRAPHY AND PROTEIN CHIP ARRAYS WITH APPLICATIONS IN BIOLOGY AND MEDICINE

☒ This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates:
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the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by reference.

☒ Please amend this application on page 1, line 8, after "This application" by inserting the following: --is a divisional of co-pending Serial No. 09/100,302, filed June 19, 1998, which --.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Title Page
- ☒ 102 page(s) of specification
- ☒ 5 page(s) of claims
- ☒ 1 page of Abstract
- ☒ 44 sheet(s) of ☐ formal ☒ informal drawing(s).
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to CIPHERGEN BIOSYSTEMS, INC. (copy from parent)
- ☒ A ☒ signed ☐ unsigned Declaration & Power of Attorney (copy from parent).
- ☒ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 ☐ is enclosed ☒ was filed in the prior application and small entity status is still proper and desired.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97.
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TOTAL CLAIMS	30 - 20	= *10
INDEP. CLAIMS	5 - 3	= *2
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SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	FEE
	\$355.00
x \$9.00 =	\$90.00
x \$40.00 =	\$80.00
+ \$135.00 =	
TOTAL	\$525.00

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	FEE
	\$710.00
x \$18.00 =	
x \$80.00 =	
+ \$270.00 =	
TOTAL	

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